

# ROOSEVELT IS VERY DECIDED

Asks That Stringent Laws Be Made Relative  
To The Coal On Public Lands.

## WANTS APPROPRIATION MADE THAT

Land Thefts May Be Stopped And The Thieves Prosecuted  
To The Fullest Extent Of The Law  
At Once.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—President Roosevelt today sent to congress a long message calling attention to what he terms the "urgent need of legislation affecting the different phases of the public land situation in the United States." He advocates a conservation of coal and other fuel resources on the lands still belonging to the government, and urges the control of western public lands and pastures, with a system of small grazing fees, etc. He asks for an appropriation of half a million dollars, immediately, to aid in detecting and preventing land frauds. He says he cares little for details, but that the prime need is a system should be established. In conclusion he said:  
"I wish to express my utter and complete dissent from the statements that have been made as to there being but a minimum of fraud in the actual working of our present land laws. I am exceedingly anxious to protect the interests of bona fide settlers and to prevent hardship being inflicted upon them. But surely we are working in their interests when we try to prevent the land which should be reserved for them from being taken possession of for speculative purposes or obtained in any fraudulent fashion."  
The President says the present force of special agents is utterly insufficient to conduct the proper field examinations but adds that in six months ending Dec. 31st last they secured indictments in one hundred and ninety-seven actions for fraud, 26 of which have been tried, resulting in 14 convictions and 12 acquittals. In the forest reserves, where we have been able to examine a great number of claims, he adds, in about one-third the law was not complied with. The message concludes: "From the standpoint of the public interest, failure to prevent fraud of this kind is peculiarly serious because in so many cases the success of the fraudulent claimant means the prevention of the establishment of a home by some honest homeseeker. The earnest wish of the administration is to discontinue the advertisement of fraud in connection with the public land system, but the only way to accomplish this is by putting a stop to the fraud itself."

## WOULD EXCLUDE THE PASSPORT VISITORS

Measure Aimed at the California  
Japanese Situation Is Presented  
to Congress.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—The exclusion of foreigners who use passports to secure admission to the United States to the detriment of labor conditions in this country is provided for by an amendment to the immigration bill agreed upon by the conferees of the senate and house today and reported to congress. The amendment is the result of the demand from the Pacific coast states for the exclusion of Japanese coolies and it is understood will aid in securing an understanding between the administration and San Francisco delegation now in Washington to confer with Roosevelt.

## ILLNESS OF JUROR'S WIFE STOPS TRIAL

Thaw Trial Adjourned to Let Mr. Bolton Visit Spouse, Who Is Threatened with Pneumonia.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
New York, Feb. 13.—Owing to the illness of the wife of Juror Bolton, who is threatened with pneumonia, the Thaw trial adjourned until two o'clock this afternoon to permit Bolton to visit his home. Bolton was accompanied by two court officers. Juror Bolton returned to the court house at two o'clock this afternoon and the trial was resumed. Dr. Evans, the alienist, being recalled. The direct examination of Evans was concluded at 3:30 p. m., but Jerome reserved the cross-examination.

## HERMANN JURY WAS COMPLETED TODAY

Oregon Representative Charged with  
Conspiracy Is to Be Placed  
on Trial.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—A jury was obtained today in the trial of Representative Binger Hermann of Oregon on charges of conspiracy.

## EIGHT-HOUR LABOR LAW WAS VIOLATED

The Firms in Cleveland Violating It  
Were Held by the Grand  
Jury Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Cleveland, O., Feb. 13.—The federal grand jury today returned indictments against eight connecting companies and firms on the charge of violating the eight-hour labor law in connection with the government work in this federal district.

## WESTERN UNION HAS RAISED THE WAGES

Gives Operators in Principal Offices  
Raise of Ten Percent in  
Salaries.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
New York, Feb. 13.—The Western Union Telegraph company today announced the salaries of telegraph operators in the company's principal offices in the country will be increased ten per cent.

## ALTHOUGH HE SAYS HE STOLE THE COIN

He Is Given His Freedom for His  
Past Work in Behalf of the  
Police.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 13.—Although confessing he stole twelve hundred dollars from the National Exchange bank here in November, James E. Walsh got his freedom this afternoon, because he aided the police here fourteen years ago in catching Gustav Scharff, now serving a life term in Waupun prison for the horrible murder of Grace King and her daughter. Walsh got the money while another man who was cashing the check stepped aside momentarily, fled and was caught in Stockton, Calif.

## TWENTY-FIVE DEAD; BOILER EXPLODED

Reports From Los Angeles of Terrible  
Disaster There Today—Many  
Killed.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Denver, Col., Feb. 13.—A special from Los Angeles reports twenty-five persons were killed by a boiler explosion there.

## NEW PENSION LAWS AFFECT THE VETS

MacCumber Law Means Increase to  
Many of the Boys of Sixty-one  
—Work Has Begun.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Madison, Wis., Feb. 13.—Wisconsin veterans of the civil war are availing themselves of the right to increase of pensions which is given to them by the provisions of the MacCumber law, which was passed by the house of representatives and approved by the president last week. General C. H. Russell, pension clerk in the office of Adjutant General Boardman, has already received a large number of applications for increases from veterans, but he says that there are a great many old soldiers in the state who are entitled to additional pensions who are probably yet unaware of the new law and are not quick to avail themselves of their rights. He desires of bringing the results of this law to the material benefit of all old soldiers affected by it, as soon as practicable. Moreover, he desires it to be known that the veterans will get quicker action on their applications and will the sooner and more surely come into enjoyment of the increases of pension to which they are entitled if they will make their application to the state pension office here in connection with the adjutant general's department.

The MacCumber law provides that all old soldiers entitled to pensions shall upon reaching the age of 62 years receive \$12 a month. When they reach the age of 70 years they are entitled to \$15 a month and when they get to be 75 years old they are entitled under this law to \$20 a month.

The Wisconsin state pension office has the best record of all the states of the union in the matter of getting quick and favorable action on pension applications. This arises in no small part to the care and exactness with which the applications are handled here. All applications are gotten into correct form and all required and necessary proof is prepared properly before the papers are sent to Washington.

## SOUTHERN ATLANTIC LEAGUE MEN GATHER

Present Head Will Be Re-elected and  
Longer Schedule Than Usual  
Will Be Arranged.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Augusta, Ga., Feb. 13.—The South Atlantic Baseball League is looking forward to the most successful season since its organization. This outlook never was brighter in the opinion of the league magnates who rounded up here in response to the call of President Charles W. Boyers and went into session behind closed doors this morning at the Albion hotel. The work of the meeting is the election of a president, the adoption of a 1907 schedule and getting everything in shape for the start-off of the game this spring. President Boyers is assured of re-election, so that this feature of the program will be easily disposed of. The schedule base has been prepared and probably will be adopted without any changes of consequence. It provides for 120 games, which is slightly in excess of the number played last year. The season is to open April 8 with Augusta at Savannah. Macon at Charleston and Columbia at Jacksonville. The closing date has been fixed for September 4.

## SHORTAGE AMOUNTS TO HALF A MILLION

Run on New Britain Bank Continued  
Today and Doors Were Closed  
Under Ninety-day Clauses.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
New Britain, Feb. 13.—It is learned today the shortage in the Savings Bank of New Britain, through the missing treasurer, Wm. F. Walker, may amount to a half million dollars. The run on the bank continues.

Later Dispatch  
The savings bank has stopped payment to depositors and invoked the ninety-day clauses which close a bank without notice for that period.

## NINETY-EIGHT STILL MISSING IN WRECK

Names of Hundred Twenty-five Passengers on Sunken Steamer Known  
—Eleven Bodies Identified.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Providence, R. I., Feb. 13.—Up to ten this morning the names of 125 persons, who were on board the steamer Lachmont, were known. Of these nineteen are known to have survived, eleven are among the dead, their bodies having been identified, and ninety-eight are missing.

## LADY LABOR LEADER HERE FROM ENGLAND

Woman of But Twenty-six Years Is  
Conspicuous Among Suffragists  
Now in Chicago.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Chicago, Ill., Feb. 13.—Conspicuous among the scores of noted women who have gathered in Chicago for the annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association is Miss Mary R. MacArthur, who is one of the foremost women labor leaders in Great Britain. Miss MacArthur is only 25 years old, but is secretary of the Women's Trades Union league, with 135,000 members, all of whom look to her for advice in their industrial troubles.

## TWO CONVENTIONS OPEN IN MICHIGAN

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 13.—Republicans from all parts of Michigan rounded up here today for the annual meeting of the State League of Republican clubs and the state nominating convention, the latter to be held tomorrow. The members of the league got together this afternoon at the Lincoln club rooms for the election of officers and the transaction of other business. Public interest centers chiefly in the fifteenth annual Lincoln banquet to be held at the Auditorium tonight. The principal speaker at the banquet will be Judge William J. Calkoun of Chicago, a former member of the interstate commerce commission.

Dairymen in Session.  
Saginaw, Mich., Feb. 13.—The Michigan Dairymen's association, one of the largest and strongest organizations of its kind in the country, began its annual convention in this city today. The attendance is large and representative of nearly the entire state. The sessions are being held in the Masonic Temple and will continue until Saturday. The program is replete with interesting and constructive features in the way of papers, addresses and discussions covering every phase of the dairy industry and practical talks by a number of well-known experts. Not the least interesting feature of the gathering is the large exhibit of dairy products, appliances and machinery.

## WISCONSIN SUGAR MILLIONAIRE WAS TO BE SWINDLED

Kenosha Police Discover Plot to Get  
Thousands of Dollars by Forgeries  
of Z. C. Simmons's Name.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 13.—The police this morning discovered a big plot to loot the Simmons Mfg. Co. by forged checks especially printed and perforated and signed by Z. C. Simmons, Jr., made out to Henry Moses. Simmons is an aged millionaire who gave thousands of medals to the G. A. R. is their host on his every birthday, and their guest of honor at the national encampment, though not a veteran himself. The extent of the forgeries is in the thousands.

## ROUSING FAREWELL FOR JAMES BRYCE

New American Ambassador From  
England Brings Good Wishes of  
All Great Britain.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
London, Feb. 13.—A host of friends gave a rousing send-off today to James Bryce, the newly appointed British ambassador to Washington, on the occasion of his departure for the United States. The new ambassador, who is accompanied by Mrs. Bryce, expects to reach his new post about February 21.

## Civil Engineers Meet.

Hartford, Conn., Feb. 13.—The Connecticut association of civil engineers began its annual meeting in this city today with President Charles F. Chase of New Britain in the chair. Numerous subjects of interest to the profession are scheduled for consideration during the two days of the convention.

## RECOLLECTIONS OF ONE INSANITY PLEA

Thaw Case Brings to Mind Double  
Murder Which Occurred Thirteen Years Ago Today.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 13.—Attaches of the Four Courts, in discussing the Thaw murder trial in New York, recalled the fact that today was the anniversary of one of the most noted murders that has ever occurred in St. Louis. It was just thirteen years ago today that the entire city received a shock on learning that Dr. Arthur Duestrow, son of Louis Duestrow, a St. Louis millionaire, had shot and killed his wife and 3-year-old boy. The double murder occurred in the Duestrow home in one of the fashionable sections of the city. In the trial it was shown that Duestrow was a heavy drinker and was drunk at the time of the crime. A long fight was made in the courts to show that he was insane. Eminent medical experts were put on the stand and no expense was spared to save the accused man. He was convicted, however, and sentenced to be hanged and on the afternoon of February 16, 1897, he paid the extreme penalty of the law on the gallows at Union Mo. Just before his death Duestrow confessed he was not insane and admitted his guilt.

## SALOONS GIVEN THE BOUNCE BY A JUDGE

Pennsylvania Justice Says They Have  
No Right to Run Anyway and  
Quotes Law.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Lebanon, Ind., Feb. 13.—Judge Samuel R. Artman of the Boone county circuit court today held a saloon was a business that has no legal existence, therefore it cannot be licensed by the state. He quoted many authorities to show the citizen has no inherent right to engage in selling intoxicants because the business was attended by danger to the welfare of the community.

## AGED MAN SUICIDES WHILE DESPONDENT

Found Hanging in His Barn by His  
Son Early This Morning—  
Was Wealthy.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Green Bay, Wis., Feb. 13.—Claus Brocker, aged forty, of Rockland, hanged himself in his granary during last night while despondent. He was very rich. A son found his body.

## ILLINOIS MERCHANTS ASK STATE CONTROL

Ready for State to Handle Public  
Utilities—Make Rates and All  
Such Business.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Peoria, Ill., Feb. 13.—The retail merchants of Illinois signified their almost unanimously favorable attitude toward legislation for the municipal control of regulation of gas and electric service and the rates by resolutions submitted at today's session of the state convention.

WEATHER.  
Temperature last 24 hours, taken U. S. registered thermometer at Heimstreet's drugstore: 7 a. m., 24; 3 p. m., 43; highest, 43; lowest, 23; wind, west; clear.

# ALL PHASES OF WOMAN'S RIGHTS TO BE DISCUSSED

"Municipal Suffrage," "Ballot For Working  
Women," And "Experiments" Will Be  
Subjects Of Addresses And Debates.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 13.—Prominent women suffragists from every section of the country are already gathered here in considerable number and committee meetings are being held in preparation for the thirty-ninth annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, which will be formally opened tomorrow in Music hall of the Fine Arts building. Those already here include Rev. Anna Howard Shaw of Swarthmore, Pa., the president of the association; Florence Kelley of New York City, vice president; Kate M. Gordon of New Orleans, corresponding secretary; Alice Stone Blackwell of Boston, recording secretary; Harriet Taylor Upton of Warren, Ohio, treasurer, and Laura Clay of Lexington, Ky., and Dr. Annice Jeffreys Myers of Portland, Ore., auditors of the association.

A fine array of talent has been obtained to address the various meetings, consisting of prominent men and women who have become famous for their devotion and labor along different lines of human activity.

At the first symposium discussion tomorrow afternoon Mrs. Charles Hendon will preside, and the topics will be "Municipal Suffrage for Women." The speakers and their topics will include Anna E. Nicholas on "The Ballot for Working Women," Mrs. Raymond Robins on "The Civic Duty of Women," Kate M. Gordon on "Some Experiments in New Orleans," and Lillia D. Monroe on "Municipal Suffrage in Kansas."

At the meeting tomorrow evening addresses will be delivered by Mayor Dunne, Oliver Stewart and Gertrude Blackwelder. President Anna Howard Shaw will deliver the annual address. Friday afternoon will be devoted to the consideration of "Industrial Conditions for Women and Children." Saturday morning will be given over to various reports, and in the afternoon the delegates will visit Hull House and the University of Chicago.

One evening will be devoted to the report of the Copenhagen meeting of the International Woman Suffrage Association, with addresses by Mary E. Cogswell of Iowa and Professor Emily Perkins of Northwestern university.

Among the other prominent speakers who will be heard are Rabbi Emil G. Hirsch, Caroline Lexow of New York, Dorothy Dix of Louisiana, Lucetta L. Blankenburg of Pennsylvania, Lucia Ames Mead of Massachusetts, Alice Henry of Australia, Elizabeth J. Hauser of Ohio, Mary N. Chase of New Hampshire, May Wright Sewall of Indiana, Fannie J. Fernald of Maine, and Jane Adams of Chicago.

Friday will be given over exclusively to a memorial to Susan B. Anthony, who died March 13, 1906. Among the speakers will be Mary L. T. Gannett of New York, president of the Susan B. Anthony Memorial Association; May Wright Sewall of Indianapolis; Harriet Taylor Upton of Ohio, and Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones. All state associations have been asked to consider a memorial fund and a decision may be reached during the day. A hospital, monument, and large endowment fund are advocated.

On the last day of the convention will be a discussion on the ways to increase memberships in local associations. Rachel Foster Avery will preside. Kate M. Gordon of New Orleans, who holds the distinction of having voted more than 300 times at one election in her home city, will lead the discussion. When the law was amended so that women could vote in New Orleans it provided that they might cast their ballots by proxy. Kate Gordon was among those who thought that the city should have sewers, and before election came collected the proxies of more than 300 women, which she voted at the polls.

## NORCROSS SPEAKS AT THE SIX O'CLOCK DINNER CLUB

Janesville Assemblyman In Demand At Functions In The Capital City This  
Winter.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Madison, Wis., Feb. 13.—Janesville has sent to the legislature a man, who is in constant demand at occasions where the best speeches are in order—Captain Pliny Norcross. Whether it be a gathering of old soldiers, an assembly of business men, or a company of learned professional men or members of the university faculty, Captain Norcross is ever desired to entertain, instruct and inspire. He is possessed of a richly stored mind, a wonderful flow of vocabulary, and is exceedingly ready in any situation. At the dinner of the Six O'clock club last night he spoke on "An Outsider's View of Madison." This club is similar to the Twilight club of Janesville.

Assemblyman Norcross gave a talk that was stirring, and a host full of compliments to Madison and to the three organizations which have done so much to make it what it is—the Forty Thousand club, the Madison Park and Pleasure Drive association, and the Six O'clock club. He said that Madison stood almost supreme as a city of homes, and that everywhere, all over the country, writers and speakers had paid tribute to its beauty and to the co-operative spirit of its people. This position, he said, had come partly through the lavishness of nature, but much was owed to the hard work done by the people themselves. He recalled the time, forty years ago, when he first came to Madison to attend the university, and sat in the room he had chosen in the east end of the old north hall, that he

## MANY NEW BILLS IN FOR CONSIDERATION

Little Will Be Done This Week But  
Carefully Consider the Bills  
as Presented.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Madison, Wis., Feb. 13.—Without debate and without roll call the senate today concurred in assembly joint resolution memorializing congress to pass the La Follette bill limiting the hours of continuous employment of railroad men. Among the new bills received by the senate were: To empower the county boards instead of the legislature to fix county officers' salaries; providing for standard forms life insurance policies; for a state road from the Illinois line, Pleasant Prairie, Kenosha county, to Milwaukee; the counties to pay for the survey; providing the right of hearing city employees before discharge. Senator Sanborn introduced a bill to forbid a corporation from dealing in stock of other companies. A bill by Senator Noble would appropriate \$35,000 for a workshop for the blind at Milwaukee. The assembly adopted joint resolution by Stout asking the tax commission to report not later than April 1. The report has been delayed two months. The inability of the Milwaukee members to agree on the Milwaukee library bill, increasing the library tax





## PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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 by mail or you may call at the store  
 and get one. Remember our motto:  
 "You get your money's worth."

**WALTER HELMS**  
 The Seedman.

## THE JANESVILLE MARKETS.

Quotations on Grain and Produce for  
 The Gazette.

Feb. 13, 1907.  
 EAR CORN—\$10.00 to \$10.50 per ton,  
 100 lbs. for 12.  
 BAYLEY—\$8.50.  
 OATS—400.  
 TIMOTHY—\$12.00—Retail at \$1.75 to \$2.00 a bu.  
 Buy at \$1.45 to \$1.55 bu.  
 FEED—Euro corn and oats, \$10.00 to \$20.00  
 ton.  
 BRAN—\$21 to \$22 soaked per ton.  
 STANDARD FEED—\$21 to \$22 soaked  
 OIL MEAL—\$1.75 to \$1.80 per cwt.  
 COIN MEAL—\$1.75 to \$1.80 per cwt.  
 HAY—For ton baled, \$12.00 to \$13.00.  
 STRAW—For ton baled, \$6.00.  
 BUTTER—Dairy, 26 to 27.  
 CREAMERY—35 to 36.  
 EGGS—\$1.00 to \$1.20.  
 Eggs—\$1.00 to \$1.20.  
 Elgin Market  
 Elgin, Feb. 12.—The quotation com-  
 mittee declared the official market  
 firm at 33c. Sales for the week, 440,  
 500 lbs.

## UNCALLED LETTERS

GENTLEMEN—Henry Alderson,  
 Lawrence F. Beeler, Joe Bunsstock, F.  
 Banks, C. W. Carlyle, John Dossett,  
 Frank Dobbins, Chris Gesme, P. A.  
 Green, Harry Haycock, Lewis Lent,  
 Joe Mattin, Alfred J. Olson, J. Reans,  
 H. J. Ryan, L. J. Randall, Samuel P.  
 Rolland, Fred Schuster, John Schroeder,  
 Geo. Sweeney, John A. Trent, Dr.  
 Taylor, W. S. Watkins, Frank E. Wil-  
 liams (2).

LADIES—Catherine Bosworth, Mrs.  
 Minnie Clark, Miss Stella Cronk, Miss  
 Mary Denoyer, Margaret Doran, Miss  
 Albert Ellis, Miss Edith Hill, Mrs.  
 Hob, Foster Hall, Mrs. Mary Horton,  
 Mrs. Thomas Keneough, Miss Mary  
 Kealey, Mrs. Mary Howard Kiddle,  
 Mrs. Jennie McLaughlin, Miss Martha  
 Sommerfelt, Sarah Salisbury, Miss  
 Gertrude Thompson, Miss Ida Thomp-  
 son, Miss Mary Walton, Miss Emma  
 Wieso.

PACKAGES—C. H. Hager.  
 C. L. VALENTINE, P. M.  
 Janesville, Wis., Feb. 13, 1907.

## GENERAL NOTICE.

Lodge notices, church notices and  
 announcements of meetings of soci-  
 eties will be published in the Gazette  
 if written out and left at the office.  
 It is almost impossible to take such  
 notices over the telephone correctly  
 and the rule of having them written  
 out and left in the business office must  
 be adhered to. There is no charge  
 for such notices. Communications  
 to the paper must be accompanied by  
 the name of the sender. No unsigned  
 communications will be given any at-  
 tention. The name will not be used  
 unless requested.

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Attention, B. P. O. E.  
 Owing to the K. E. party  
 there will be no meeting to-  
 night, but a special one will be held  
 on Wednesday evening, Feb. 13th, to  
 hear the report of the committees on  
 club rooms. Initiations will then take  
 place.

D. J. LINDSAY,  
 Exalted Ruler.  
 B. H. BALDWIN,  
 Secretary.

TWILIGHT CLUB'S  
LINCOLN NIGHT

STUDY OF ANIMATE CREATION  
 PARTICULARLY FITTING.

## HONEST ABE LOVED NATURE

Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones Pointed to  
 Appropriateness of Topics  
 Discussed.

March meeting—Science Night.  
 Leader—Frank A. Taylor.  
 A. E. Matheson, leader of last even-  
 ing's meeting, was instructed by mo-  
 tion to appoint a committee of five to  
 arrange for "Ladies' Night."

After the usual banquet in the Y.  
 M. C. A. auditorium at half past six  
 o'clock last evening members of the  
 Twilight club paid tribute to Abraham  
 Lincoln, it being the ninety-eighth an-  
 niversary of his birth, and listened to  
 interesting discussions and descrip-  
 tions of animate creation. Rev. Jen-  
 kin Lloyd Jones of Chicago, formerly  
 pastor of the All-Souls church here,  
 was the guest of honor and in his re-  
 marks pointed to the peculiar fitness  
 of the subject, "Lincoln having been  
 a great lover of nature. In fact the  
 impression of that true virtue and  
 nobility which study of animal life  
 inspires in man."

"Four Tributes to Lincoln."  
 Four speakers honored the memory  
 of Lincoln. H. C. Ruell, giving "a  
 word of appreciation," said that this  
 nation is prone to recognize her mili-  
 tary heroes above others, but Lincoln  
 is the exception. Rising out of obs-  
 curity into the highest place in the  
 government Lincoln's life and charac-  
 ter are an inspiration. But one side  
 of his temperament has been unem-  
 phasized; and that is his sense of hu-  
 mor. It was, as has been said, a sat-  
 ury valve on a melancholy life, but that  
 same humor and repartee was respon-  
 sible for his success. His genial good  
 nature made him popular; gained him  
 a captaincy in the Blackhawk war;  
 elected him to the Illinois legislature;  
 sent him to congress—started him on  
 a political career. When the con-  
 gressional height had been reached he  
 was ready to go farther, because he  
 was the man with the issue. Early  
 in life the "rail-splitter" saw the ap-  
 proaching disruption and when the  
 crisis arrived he was prepared for it,  
 he was the incarnation of the anti-  
 slavery movement. Mr. Buell closed  
 his remarks with Lowell's poem on  
 Lincoln. Fred L. Clemons read the  
 great president's favorite poem:  
 "O, Why Should the Spirit of Mortal  
 Be Proud?" by William Knox, and  
 George Kimball read Lincoln's famous  
 letter to General Hooker, with the in-  
 troduction and remarks prepared by  
 Elbert Hubbard. Mr. Buell had re-  
 marked on Lincoln's mastery of Eng-  
 lish and Mr. Matheson read the fam-  
 ous Gettysburg address, which was  
 written on the way from the railway  
 station to the field of battle.

The Wonderful Ant.  
 "Birds, Insects and Animals, as  
 Man's Friends and Enemies, and as  
 Objects of His Sports, was the sub-  
 ject for regular discussion. This  
 was taken up by Horace McElroy who  
 talked on the ant. He said Darwin  
 wrote that the brain of the ant is the  
 most wonderful animal in the world  
 and in truth it is for the ant comes

"Dinner's Coming  
-- I Smell It"

Does Your Stomach Feel Happy  
 When Meal-Time Comes?

When you sniffle in the air the ap-  
 petizing aroma of something cooking,  
 do you feel that you could sit down,  
 open your mouth, pin back your ears  
 and eat with a delicious gusto, every-  
 thing set before you, and not feel any  
 bad effects from it?

In other words, can your poor stom-  
 ach take care of everything and any-  
 thing you put into it? There are  
 thousands and thousands of people  
 who do not know what it is to have  
 a good, strong, healthy stomach, nor  
 do they realize what it is to have a  
 good appetite.

You can have an all-powerful stom-  
 ach and a fetching appetite for every  
 meal, and every day, if you give your  
 stomach a rest, and let something else  
 take hold of your food for you and di-  
 gest it as it comes into the stomach,  
 something that is harmless but that  
 really does the work of digesting  
 quickly and thoroughly.

This something is Stuart's Dys-  
 pepsia Tablets, the most effective in-  
 terior tablets in the world for curing any-  
 thing that may be wrong with your  
 stomach. One ingredient of these  
 precious little workers digests 3,000  
 grains of the coarsest or richest food  
 put into the stomach. Think of it,  
 3,000 grains! They are really an arti-  
 ficial stomach, because they act just  
 like the stomach, they digest your  
 food; just as though you didn't have a  
 stomach at all. It supplies the stom-  
 ach with the digestive juices which  
 have become weak and scanty.

Then your indigestion, dyspepsia,  
 sour risings, brash, belchings, acidity,  
 fermentations, loss of appetite, aversion  
 to food, bloaty feeling, heartburn  
 and nausea, will be no more. You can  
 then eat anything you want, all your  
 work, whenever you want, and your  
 stomach will feel fine before and after  
 your meals. Your appetite will be a  
 thing of pleasure to have, your meals  
 will be a pleasure to eat and relish,  
 and your digestion will be thorough  
 and soothing to the whole body.

You can't do your work well, or be  
 cheerful, or have energy or vim or am-  
 bition, when your stomach is bad.  
 Make yourself feel good after a hearty  
 meal, feel good all over, clear your  
 mind and make you enjoy life, by tak-  
 ing Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Give your stomach a rest, so it can  
 right itself, then you need fear noth-  
 ing. Send us your name and address  
 today and get a free sample package  
 of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets by re-  
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 sample, you will be so thoroughly con-  
 vinced of what they can do for you  
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nearer to man than any other living  
 creature. The ant lives in communi-  
 ties, builds its cities and highways,  
 raises and educates its young, wages  
 wars for the acquisition of territory,  
 or food and sometimes on slighter  
 provocations, keeps slaves, keeps the  
 ants which is to the ant what the  
 cow is to man and raises food,  
 some students even state that the ant  
 plants the seed for this food. Mr. Mc-  
 Elroy is widely versed in "antology"  
 and furnished a most interesting talk.  
 It was expert knowledge in English  
 devoid of scientific terms and phrases.  
 He showed where the ant had found  
 the value of the arch and dome long  
 before man and stated that the  
 mosques of the Soudan were copied  
 from the ants' buildings. The talk  
 was enriched by stories of the ant's  
 achievements which the speaker had  
 witnessed in Janesville.

"Read Nature's Books."  
 I. F. Wortendyke having given the  
 broad subject of "Animals," plead-  
 ed for a general study of the  
 world of the gopher's home and method  
 of hiding from man and other ene-  
 mies, of the field mouse's insect-de-  
 stroying value, of the muskrats' care-  
 fully and wisely constructed "piles,"  
 and of the ways of other creatures  
 common hereabouts. With these  
 stories he aroused the interest of his  
 hearers and then asked them to all  
 read more widely in the books of  
 nature. The field and forest are far  
 more interesting, far more inspir-  
 ing than the printed page, he said;  
 the love of nature is a panacea for all  
 the ills of mind and soul. In closing  
 Wortendyke asked the fathers present  
 to teach their children to study  
 and love nature, calling such a love a safe-  
 guard around the youth, the essence  
 of true virtue and nobility.

Queen Bee From Russia.  
 In introducing the next speaker,  
 Leader Matheson said that Mr. Harney  
 was the owner of several hives of bees  
 at his home on Wisconsin street and  
 was the proud possessor of a Queen  
 Bee which last summer came direct  
 from Russia. Mr. Harney said there  
 were five distinct classes of bees—  
 the hive, the bumble, the carpenter,  
 the leaf cutting and the stingless  
 honey bee. There was only time for  
 the discussion of the hive bee and  
 there were numerous species of that.  
 None however are native to America,  
 all having been originally imported.  
 The details of the life and ways of the  
 common hive bee were told by Mr.  
 Harney. One interesting point made  
 was that honey bees can be handled  
 without danger. If bees are not struck  
 or do not sting they will not sting.  
 When a bee stings death is soon to  
 follow for each bee has but one sting  
 and cannot exert without it. The bee  
 may not be as interesting a study as  
 the ant, but is more valuable to man-  
 kind.

Game Warden Useless.  
 Mr. Matheson said he had found it  
 difficult to persuade Halvor L. Skavem  
 to speak, but several lines were  
 used on him and he was finally land-  
 ed. The topic was "Birds" and in  
 opening the speaker said he would  
 not attempt to tell much about the  
 feathered tribes but would endeavor  
 to show the possibilities of pleasure  
 in their study. Southern Wisconsin  
 is particularly adapted for the study.  
 We have our birds that remain the  
 year around, our winter birds and  
 we are in the path of travel of the  
 greater number of North American  
 migratory birds. Forty years ago all  
 these kinds were more numerous and  
 now and it is certain that an exter-  
 mination has been in progress. The so-  
 called "sportsmen" who seem to kill  
 wantonly, the boys who steal eggs and  
 the animal enemies of the birds are  
 not guilty of this destruction. All  
 the game warden and game laws  
 cannot preserve the game birds. The  
 responsibility for this disappearance  
 of birds is march of civilization. We  
 have cut down the woods where the  
 birds lived and built their nests; we  
 have destroyed the weeds which they  
 used for food and for nests; we farm  
 so intensively that there is no seed  
 left for the birds; there is not even  
 enough dry grass to make homes.  
 Against these conditions some species  
 have, of course, held their own and  
 we have these left to study; but the  
 time to watch birds and bird life is  
 during the periods of six weeks in the  
 spring and six in the fall when the  
 great migrations are on, for then we  
 have more birds with us than the sum  
 total of those remaining during the  
 seasons. This study is interesting  
 and entrancing to the old and young,  
 the educated and uneducated.

Jones Remembered Many.  
 When Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones en-  
 tered the room early in the evening  
 he was greeted with applause and  
 when his portion of the program was  
 announced a louder and more prolonged  
 storm of plaudits sounded in the  
 auditorium. He confessed that he  
 had been drawn here by curiosity.  
 A desire to know how he would  
 be in Janesville. He said though  
 he had been here but a short time  
 years and had left twenty-seven years  
 ago, he remembered many faces and  
 it seemed that he had been here a  
 long time and in Chicago but a short  
 time. His work in the latter named  
 place was conceived while here. He  
 said the discussion of the evening  
 had impressed and inspired him and  
 considered it most proper for Lincoln's  
 birthday, Lincoln having been just as  
 tender, just as loving as the study of  
 nature could inspire man to be. He  
 had been asked to talk on birds, which  
 he said he knew far less about than  
 Mr. Skavem. His "bird-work" had  
 been a twenty-year fight against the  
 use of stuffed birds and feathers on  
 hats. When he joined the movement  
 he believed the war would be short;  
 he thought only a little agitation  
 would arouse the women of fashion to  
 their sin. But there seems to be a  
 lack of abhorrence for the atrocities  
 committed in the name of fashion, an  
 absence of tenderness for bird life.  
 He had been criticised for spending  
 his time in this agitation when there  
 were souls perishing down in Clark  
 street, Chicago, but he said as long as  
 people have no tenderness, no mercy  
 for birds, there is little hope of those  
 dying spirits having any respect, any  
 esteem, any love for the world. The  
 civic and sociological problems can  
 be solved when we learn from the  
 birds the lesson of buoyancy of spirit,  
 from the ant the willingness to co-  
 operate, for the civic life of the ant  
 is far above the selfish, dastardly  
 struggle for existence in Chicago.

Lincoln Farm Association.  
 Each one present last evening re-  
 ceived a souvenir pamphlet published  
 by the Lincoln Farm Association. The  
 purpose of this organization, which  
 was founded by Mr. Jones, is to have  
 the old Lincoln farm in Kentucky pre-

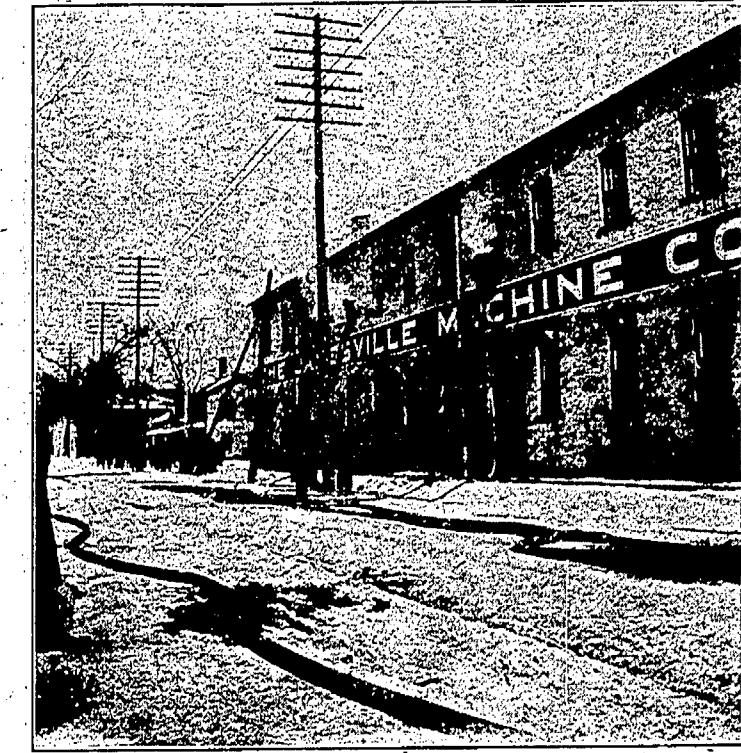
served and created into a national  
 park. Mr. Jones' son, Richard Lloyd  
 Jones, who was born on South Main  
 street, Janesville, thirty-two years  
 ago, is secretary and manager of the  
 association.

PYTHIANS HOSTS AT  
FINAL PRE-LENTEN  
DANCE LAST EVENING

Assembly Hall Was the Scene of the  
 Brilliant Complimentary Ball Giv-  
 en by Oriental Lodge.

"The one-table limit on bridge whist  
 last night was a wicked evasion and  
 I'm going to give it up altogether  
 this time. Six weeks without any  
 dancing or tea parties or skating—  
 isn't it awful? Shall you REALLY  
 give up smoking?"

For the second time in as many  
 seasons Society's farewells and auf-



PICTURE TAKEN JUST AFTER BREAKING OUT OF RECENT FIRE AT  
 JANESVILLE MACHINE COMPANY'S PAINT ROOM.

wiederschens to Privately were made  
 more to advertise Janesville than any  
 other industry we have. The accom-  
 panying cut is from a picture taken  
 shortly after the firemen arrived.  
 Two ladders were already up on the  
 Jackson street side and a third one  
 is being raised. Smoke is seen issu-  
 ing from two windows which had  
 been broken to admit a lead of hose  
 being put in use. In all ten streams  
 were pumped onto the fire. Eight of  
 them came from the city water works  
 which furnished seven hundred and  
 twenty-five thousand five hundred and  
 ten gallons of water. Two streams  
 were pumped by the Janesville Ma-  
 chine Company's engine and furnished  
 some eighty thousand gallons. It was  
 nip and tuck for a few minutes when  
 the fire would gain control or the  
 firemen and the excellent work of  
 the local department ably seconded by  
 the employees and management of  
 the company saved the building from  
 destruction.

The orchestra stand where Kneff  
 and Hatch's eight musicians held sway  
 was gaily decorated with the colors of  
 the order and a hedge of palms and  
 greens designated the reception booth  
 where Chancellor Commander Thomas  
 E. Welsh and Mrs. Welsh, Mr. and  
 Mrs. John G. Rexford and Mr. and  
 Mrs. George S. Parker extended heart-  
 ly greetings to the guests. A sphere  
 of colored lights hung from the cen-  
 ter of the ceiling and other appoint-  
 ments contributed to the inviting ap-  
 pearance of the ball-room. E. B. Heim-  
 street, O. A. Oestreich, Jesse E. Heir,  
 Allen P. Lovejoy, and David Holmes  
 were the members of the arrange-  
 ments committee. The three first  
 named, together with George McKee  
 and Stanley Woodruff, served on the  
 floor committee, and members of both  
 wore tasty badges of blue.

The opening waltz was played short-  
 ly before nine o'clock and the many  
 beautiful gowns worn, the presence  
 of a large number of visitors, and the  
 music, unattended enjoyment visible  
 on every face were all contributory  
 factors in the alluring and memor-  
 able scene. There were just enough  
 waltz-quadrilles and similar square  
 dances to afford variety and give  
 those who confined themselves to the  
 "round" numbers an opportunity to  
 visit the booth in the northeast corner  
 of the hall where delicious ices and  
 cakes were served throughout the  
 evening. Some of the guests present  
 from out of town were: Miss Helga  
 Helde of Antler, South Dakota; Hal  
 Townsend of Utica, New York; Thom-  
 as W. Dunbar of Milwaukee; Frank  
 Krul of Peshto, South Dakota;  
 Miss Donald, Seals of Birmingham,  
 Alabama, and Howard Greene, and  
 the Misses Ida Greene and Lucy Fox  
 of Beloit College.

WAITED FOUR WEEKS  
FOR FIRST TRAIN

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sanborn Arrive  
 in Janesville from Esmond,  
 North Dakota.

After waiting for four weeks for a  
 train to push through the snow block-  
 ade and bring them back to civilized  
 regions, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sanborn  
 of Esmond, North Dakota, arrived in  
 Janesville last Sunday. Esmond is  
 on a branch of the Northern Pacific  
 and was the first branch line dug out.  
 The snow is three feet deep on the  
 level and is badly drifted in many  
 places. Esmond has seven grain eleva-  
 tors, filled to the brim with grain  
 and twenty-five loaded grain cars lie  
 on the siding waiting for engines to  
 haul them to market. While the food  
 and the fuel supply was not exhausted  
 when Mr. and Mrs. Sanborn left it  
 was running very low. What is true of  
 Esmond is true of the majority of the  
 small towns along the branch  
 roads of the Northern Pacific.

The Knights of the Globe will hold  
 their regular semi-monthly meeting  
 tomorrow (Wed.) night at Good Tem-  
 plars' hall, South Main street. A large  
 class to be initiated and business of  
 importance will be considered. All  
 members are urged to be present. By  
 order of the Pres.

WONDERFUL WORK OF  
MACHINE COMPANY

In Less Than Three Days All Traces  
 of Recent Fire Were Removed  
 and Work Resumed.

Last Wednesday, a week ago, fire  
 threatened to destroy the paint room  
 and machine shop of the Janesville  
 Machine Company. Thousands of dol-  
 lars' worth of property were destroyed  
 and for two hours the firemen  
 fought a stubborn blaze which had  
 caught in one of the big paint tanks.  
 Scarcely was the fire really out be-  
 fore the work of repairing all damage  
 began. By Thursday morning the  
 broken glass had all been replaced,  
 new window frames made, the water  
 cleared out, and on Friday portions of  
 the room were used for their regular  
 work. At nine o'clock on Saturday  
 the entire room was at work as  
 though nothing had happened. It  
 was a case of remarkable restoration  
 and showed the organization and able

EVANSVILLE DEPOT  
NEAR DESTRUCTION

Caught Fire Through Explosion of  
 Lamp—Voliva Spoke to  
 Large Audience.

Evansville, Wis., Feb. 13.—The de-  
 pot building caught fire Sunday night  
 by the explosion of a lamp. But owing  
 to the prompt action of those at  
 hand no serious damage was done.  
 Voliva Gave Lecture.

Wilbur G. Voliva of Zion City talk-  
 ed to a full house in the city hall  
 Saturday evening and spoke again  
 Monday night at the opera house. He  
 is a good speaker and held the at-  
 tention of the audience, although few  
 of the audience held views similar  
 to his.

## Revival Meeting.

The revival meetings which have  
 been in progress at the Seminary  
 closed last Monday evening. The Sun-  
 day school conference which was held  
 last Saturday in connection with these  
 meetings was largely attended. Prof.  
 Williams and Mr. Fero were among  
 the speakers from out of town.

Paul Ames of Brooklyn has accept-  
 ed a position in the office of the  
 Baker Manufacturing Co. He began  
 his duties last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts were  
 called to Beloit Sunday by the death  
 of his mother, Mrs. Adelaide Roberts.  
 The remains will be brought here to-  
 day for interment.

Miss Gertrude Eager entertained  
 very pleasantly a few of her friends  
 and neighbors Monday evening.

Mr. A. J. Crandall of Waukegan,  
 brother of Mrs. C. A. Libby is visit-  
 ing relatives and old time friends here  
 this week. For a number of years he  
 has been a tourist's guide in Yellow-  
 stone Park and it is over thirty years  
 since he last visited Evansville.

Mrs. Hendricks of the Seminary has  
 organized a large class in physical  
 culture. They had their first meet-  
 ing Monday.

Mae Heron who is teaching in Por-  
 ter was home over Sunday.

Fanny Powles has been confined to  
 the house a few days with the grip.

The Misses Minnie Meggott and  
 Nellie Cassidy of Janesville are stay-  
 ing at Mrs. T. C. Richardson's this  
 week.

Miss Marie Green of Footville was  
 an over Sunday visitor at the home  
 of her mother.

Mrs. Schetter here Miss Ion Dopp of  
 Janesville is a guest of Cora Harris.

A. M. Van Wormer transacted busi-  
 ness in Reedsburg and Baraboo Mon-  
 day.

Adolbert Jones has rented the Pete  
 Smith residence on East Main St. and  
 will move March 1.

Leslie Reckord of Beloit spent Sun-  
 day with relatives here.

Fred Winston and wife are Chicago  
 visitors today.

William Little has sold his resi-  
 dence in this city and will soon move  
 to Baraboo.

Miss Parmlay spent Sunday at her  
 home in Footville.

Miss Pauline Fuchs of Reedsburg  
 is visiting her friend, Mrs. Charles  
 Fuller.

Mrs. Walter F. Gollmar of Baraboo  
 is visiting her father, Col. G. W.  
 Hall.

George Clark returned Sunday from  
 the south where he went to spend a  
 portion of the winter.

Mr. J. E. Ritter of Milwaukee was  
 a guest at the home of Willis Searles  
 the first of this week.

M. B. Foley of Baraboo has been  
 a guest of friends in this city.  
 A. M. Van Wormer, wife and daugh-  
 ters, and C. C. Van Wormer and fam-  
 ily spent Sunday with relatives in  
 Fulton.

HOME GATHERING  
TOMORROW EVENING

Annual Reunion of Members of First  
 Congregational Church Will  
 Be Largely Attended.

Tomorrow evening is the date set  
 for the annual Home Gathering of  
 the members of the Congregational  
 church. There will be a preliminary  
 social meeting, affording an opportu-







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**WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST**

Fair tonight and Thursday, cooler Thursday and in western portion tonight.

**ROCKEFELLER'S GIFT**

The Wall Street Journal has received three statements relating to Mr. Rockefeller's latest and biggest benefaction. We print all three in order that the different points of view may be brought together. No one of the three is a perfect presentation; indeed each presents a good deal that is false, but perhaps the three taken together may give a fairly accurate composite picture of the truth. The three distinctly differing opinions follow:

I.  
 The world's greatest philanthropist, John D. Rockefeller, has crowned his long succession of splendid benefactions with the crowning gift of \$32,000,000 to the General Educational Fund, making a total of \$43,000,000 which he has given to this object. This makes a total of more than \$90,000,000 which Mr. Rockefeller has bestowed in charity.

By his genius in the acquisition of wealth and by his benevolence in its distribution, Mr. Rockefeller has enrolled his name on the roster of the benefactors of the race. It is a remarkable fact that both in the methods of acquisition and in the wisdom of distribution of wealth Mr. Rockefeller has enriched the world. His wealth has thus bestowed a double blessing. Through this matchless power of industrial organization, Mr. Rockefeller has been able to develop the national resources of the country. He has established the most perfect system of transportation and marketing of the products in which he has dealt. He has thus increased enormously the wealth of America. Indeed so stupendous has been his contribution to the commonwealth, that the share he has retained for himself, large as it may seem, is after all infinitesimal, as compared with the grand total. Yet out of his own share Mr. Rockefeller, with a superb liberality, is now engaged in devoting millions upon millions to religion, education and charity.

In the acquisition of wealth he has furnished the world with a splendid example of what business organization and combination can accomplish; he has cheapened the price of illuminating oil to all the earth and furnished occupation to tens of thousands of workers. In his distribution of wealth he has with rare wisdom, chosen just those objects of his philanthropy as would contribute most to the uplift of the race. Thus in both acquisition and distribution the world is Mr. Rockefeller's debtor.

II.  
 The world demands justice. It does not crave charity. Mr. Rockefeller's gift of \$32,000,000 to the General Educational Fund may ease his conscience, but it will not buy even popularity, much less immunity from public prosecution for the wrongs with which the name of the Standard Oil company has long been identified.

It is significant that this large gift comes almost directly upon the heels of the stinging report of the Interstate Commerce commission upon the relations of common carriers to the Standard Oil company. That report declared that the enormous dividends of the Standard Oil company are not the legitimate result of its economies; that the basis of its monopoly rests upon the pipe line, the possession of which enables it to absolutely control the price of crude petroleum, raising it in one locality and lowering it in another; that it has enjoyed secret rates from the railroads, enjoying all the elements of illegal rates; that many evidences of discrimination in favor of the Standard have been found; that "ruin of its competitors has been a distinct part of the policy of the Standard Oil company, in the past systematically and persistently pursued"; that it has organized a perfect system of espionage over its competitors; that after it has acquired competitive companies it has operated them as if they were still independent, and "the operation of such fake independent concerns has been one of its most effective means of destroying competition"; that "its motto has been the destruction of competition at any cost," so that independent sellers of most of its products abroad where such methods are not tolerated.

To this terrible indictment of the great monopoly which John D. Rockefeller has built up, he replies with his gift of \$32,000,000 to education. Gift? It should be called confession and partial restitution. Every dollar of it has been wrung out of the ruin of countless independent business men. Every dollar has meant a tax upon the community. This \$32,000,000 big as it is, is but a part of a year's income of the world's mightiest "robber baron." Let us accept the money—tainted as it is—for after all it belongs to us but do not permit it

to dull our sense of the wrong which it represents, or check the movement for corporation reform, which under the lead of a courageous president, has at last been begun. It may be added that it is a serious question whether the building up of big endowment funds for colleges is after all a good thing for real education. The endowed college is not necessarily the poor man's college.

III.

The \$32,000,000 which Mr. Rockefeller, with that fine business sense that governs all his benefactions, has given to the General Educational Fund is the largest individual gift ever made so far as is known in the history of the world. The notable thing is that this immense sum of money which invested at 4 per cent should yield \$1,280,000 a year is given to education. The ablest man of business affairs—measured by achievement and power—who has appeared in a century makes this striking tribute to the importance of education. Moreover, the great bulk of the \$90,000,000 which he has in recent years given away has gone to the same purpose.

The significance of this can scarcely be over-estimated. Education is the basis of wealth, of power, of civilization. The best educated people—meaning education in its best sense—must necessarily be the most powerful people. This gift is patriotism in concrete form. It creates a fund from which for centuries will flow a stream of benefaction. The best part of it will work for the independence of the class of educators, by providing for their adequate maintenance and provision for old age. This means the permanency of a highly educated class in this country independent of commercialism, the very best aristocracy a nation can possess. Mr. Rockefeller is too far-sighted not to see this, and yet representative as he is of commercialism, he has devoted a part of his wealth to this noble purpose. Let us take off our hats to Mr. Rockefeller.

**PRESS COMMENT.**

Jeff's Ultimatum  
 El Paso Herald: Senator-elect Jeff Davis again declares "that under no provocation will he wear a dress suit on official occasions or otherwise."

Same Old Question  
 Weyanwega Chronicle: We knew it would come. After several weeks of fooling around the legislature has at last settled down to the real question that is confronting the American public—the old, old question of spring shooting.

Fugitive Groom Captured  
 Oshkosh Northwestern: A bashful Milwaukee groom jumped from the carriage as the wedding party was about to enter the church and was recaptured and led to the altar only after a hot chase of over a mile which was joined in by the anxious bride-to-be. Evidently it goes against the grain of Milwaukee girls to be left "waiting at the church."

**A Sale of Muslin Underwear**

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 Children's Gowns  
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**10c**  
 A pair of Men's heavy Wool Socks

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**4c**  
 one pound of Fresh Ginger Snaps

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**20c**  
 for half bushel choice white Potatoes

With this coupon and  
**6c**  
 for one pound Mixed Candy

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**25c**  
 7 large rolls of fine Toilet Paper

With this coupon and  
**25c**  
 3 pair Women's 15c Fleeced-Hose

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**95c**  
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**Here's a Sale** where you get the very Best Winter Merchandise at a Remarkable Saving.

**REMODELING THIS OLD LOWELL STORE**

makes this sacrifice necessary.

**Read Every Item. Cut Out One** or all of the coupons, if you wish—bring them in and get the biggest Bargains in Janesville. Remember this offer is for Thursday, Friday and Saturday.



With this Coupon and  
**69c**  
 One Cambrice Night Gown V-neck or high Ruffled, a \$1 value

With this Coupon and  
**\$1.50**  
 one pair Men's heavy shoes like cut



With this coupon and  
**25c**  
 one pound pkg. of Richelieu Java and Mocha Coffee

With this coupon and  
**9c**  
 one full length Buggy Whip

With this coupon and  
**\$1.19**  
 One electric White Marseilles Bed Spread with heavy fringe

With this coupon and  
**69c**  
 One improved Galvanized Iron Rural Route Mail Box

With this coupon and  
**20c**  
 for Three cans Pure Food Corn

With this coupon and  
**10c**  
 4 "Out of Sight" Mouse traps "Sure Catch"

With this coupon and  
**7c**  
 a pair for Men's fleeced Gloves or Mittens

With this coupon and  
**8c**  
 for one dozen Coat or Hat Hooks

With this coupon and  
**5c**  
 One pair Men's brown mixed seamless "Box"

With this coupon and  
**12½c**  
 Each for Pillow Cases of good Smooth Cotton limit 4 to buyer

With this coupon and  
**50c**  
 One Set of 6 decorated Plates or 6 Crystal Cut Glass Tumblers

With this coupon and  
**9c**  
 3 cakes pure Balsam Tar Soap

With this coupon and  
**18c**  
 One set 6 heavy Nickel Plated Table Spoons

With this coupon and  
**7½c**  
 a yard of smooth Chambray Ging-ham all new Plaid colors

With this Coupon and  
**50c**  
 8 yds. unbleached Sea Island Muslin 36 inches wide

With this Coupon and  
**23c**  
 one pound of Square Deal Plug Tobacco

With this Coupon and  
**87c**  
 one Galvanized Iron Wash Boiler

With this Coupon and  
**20c**  
 for 3 large cans Boston Marrow Squash

With this Coupon and  
**23c**  
 One Child's Bearskin Cap (worth 50c)

With this Coupon and  
**20c**  
 one 9 inch Carving Knife

With this Coupon and  
**7½c**  
 a yard of smooth Chambray Ging-ham all new Plaid colors

With this Coupon and  
**16c**  
 One Package Fairbanks Gold Dust

With this Coupon and  
**1c**  
 Two Aluminum Thimbles or two papers of pins

With this Coupon and  
**7c**  
 3 edge, taper Saw Files all sizes to 6 in.

With this Coupon and  
**10c**  
 3 ink Writing Tablets

With this Coupon and  
**48c**  
 one pair heavy fleece 10-4 Blankets

With this Coupon and  
**\$1.95**  
 one pair of the best \$2.50 shoes on the market every pair warranted (Mens' or Women's)

With this Coupon and  
**9c**  
 3 cakes pure Balsam Tar Soap

With this Coupon and  
**11c**  
 for ½ pound can Calumet Baking Powder

With this Coupon and  
**4½c**  
 a yard Shaker Flannel limit 10 yds. to buyer

With this Coupon and  
**15c**  
 two 10c bottles of Eddy's flavoring Extract (any flavor)

With this Coupon and  
**8c**  
 for One large can best Stove Polish

With this Coupon and  
**9c**  
 3 cakes pure Balsam Tar Soap

With this Coupon and  
**\$1.25**  
 for One Universal Meat Chopper

With this Coupon and  
**\$1.35**  
 for One pair Men's heavy Dark Stripe Pants

With this Coupon and  
**28c**  
 One solid Washboard "It's all in the Rub"

With this Coupon and  
**40c**  
 for Men's fleece lined Shirts or Drawers

With this Coupon and  
**50c**  
 for One Set of 6 decorated Plates or 6 Crystal Cut Glass Tumblers

With this coupon and  
**10c**  
 for One large can Alaska Blood Red Salmon

With this coupon and  
**38c**  
 for 7 yards Apron Check Gingham all colors

With this coupon and  
**5c**  
 one pound of Snow-Flake Laundry Starch

With this coupon and  
**20c**  
 One solid steel Family Cleavary

With this coupon and  
**12½c**  
 Each for Pillow Cases of good Smooth Cotton limit 4 to buyer

With this coupon and  
**4c**  
 One pressed tin (all sizes) Kettle Cover

With this coupon and  
**69c**  
 One heavy Plaid Horse Blanket

With this coupon and  
**4½c**  
 a yard for heavy dark stripe and check Outing Flannel (10 yd. limit)

With this coupon and  
**95c**  
 for One pair of Men's and Boys' one buckle, warm lined Arties

With this coupon and  
**5c**  
 One pair Men's brown mixed seamless "Box"

With this coupon and  
**25c**  
 one pound pkg. of Richelieu Java and Mocha Coffee

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**10c**  
 One gallon Solid black tin Coffee Pot

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**"YOU'D BE AMUSED"**

If you could just sit down for an afternoon in the office of Dr. Richards and watch the flow of people who come and go.

Some to have their teeth treated. Some to make appointments for future work.

Some to talk it over. Some in desperation, pale, terrified but determined, at last, to let the dentist do for them what they had so long put off.

With some the door opens slowly, hesitatingly.

"Are you the patient says."

"Try me and see, says the Doctor, who believes that two minutes of actual demonstration is worth an hour of talk."

The patient soon departs with "the smile that won't soon come off."

Because she has found that there is one dentist anywhere in the world, who does do painless work.

They probably had told her that no one could do painless work.

But now she knows better.

See what MRS. MAY HOLDEN of 217 East Merrill St., Beloit, says:

"After suffering for days and days with four ulcerated teeth and being told by Beloit dentists that no one could take them out painlessly, I went to see Dr. Richards in Janesville."

He positively extracted these four teeth without hurting me. I shall never fear dentistry in the future."

Ask her about it.

Wouldn't it be common, ordinary wisdom to become, yourself, a patient of

The man who will not hurt you? Office over Hall & Sayles' Jewelry Store, West Milwaukee street.

**BUELL TO PRESIDE AT ANNUAL MEETING**

At the Wisconsin State Library Association Which Will Be Held in La Crosse Next Week.

At La Crosse, on Thursday and Friday of next week, will be held the seventeenth annual meeting of the Wisconsin Library Association, of which Supt. H. C. Buell of the Janesville public schools is president. Mayor William Torrance of the Gate City will deliver the address of welcome and L. D. Hinkley of Waupun, vice president of the association, the response, and addresses by Mrs. Annie Smith, Ross of Charlotte, North Carolina, Miss Harriet A. Wood of Cedar Rapids, Ia., and Miss Katherine I. MacDonald of the Wisconsin Free Library commission will be heard at the opening session. The president's address will be delivered by Mr. Buell Friday morning and State Senator H. P. Bird of Wausau, who has visited Janesville on several occasions and who is the founder of a unique free library in Janesville, will talk on "The Library the Rich Man's Opportunity," the same day. Shaller Mathews of the University of Chicago, editor of "The World Today," will be heard on "The Making of a Modern Magazine." Some of the other subjects to be discussed are: "The Wisconsin Library School," "The Library and the Museum," "The Library Association," "The Library and the Rural Telephone," "The Library and the Working Girl." G. B. Ferry of the firm of Perry & Clas, Milwaukee architects, will give an illustrated lecture on "The Housing of Books."

**JURY ACTION IN MUNICIPAL COURT**

Case of Rau vs. Bruhnoefer, Brought Here on Change of Venue, Being Tried Today.

Before a jury composed of E. J. Gokey, M. C. Dunlap, H. G. Shurtliff, John Maxwell, Philip Sheridan, and C. F. Nicholson, the civil action of C. F. Rau vs. W. Bruhnoefer, brought here from Beloit on a change of venue, is being tried in municipal court this afternoon. It is a landlord and tenant case, the landlord seeking to recover \$182.42 which he claims is due him as his rightful share in the proceeds of the hay and other produce. Attorney T. D. Woolsey of Beloit represents the plaintiff and Mr. Rau, Atty. J. W. Bates, John Housli, William Johnson, and J. A. Palen are here from the Line City to watch the proceedings. Atty. J. J. Cunningham is the defendant's counsel.

**UNDERSIZED BASS IN POSSESSION**

Charles Lumm of Lake Koshkonong Placed Under Arrest on This Charge—Pleads Not Guilty.

On the charge of having in his possession black bass, measuring less than the six inches stipulated by law, Charles Lumm, a Lake Koshkonong fisherman, was hauled into municipal court this morning. He entered a plea of "not guilty" and his hearing was set for Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Bonds were fixed at \$200, which sum in gold was placed on deposit by a Mr. Hall of Milton Junction. Deputy Game Warden Peter Drahtl made the arrest.

**WIS. TELEPHONE CO. PAYS LICENSE FEE**

Of \$510.48 on its Gross Receipts of \$15,014.20 For the Past Year in Janesville.

City Treasurer James A. Fathers has received from President Alonzo Burt of the Wisconsin Telephone Co. a check for \$510.48, the same being the city's due as a license fee of four per cent on \$5 per cent of the gross receipts for the year. The gross receipts of the exchange service, it is declared, were \$15,014.20. According to law both telephone companies are required to make these returns before Feb. 10. The date has passed and the Rock County Telephone Co. has neglected to file its accounting and check.

**BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.**

Remember the Rebekah masquerade Feb. 22nd, at Assembly hall. Carter's full orchestra.

The King's Daughters of the Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon in the church parlors at 2 o'clock.

Eliza C. Bleasdale The funeral service of the late Mrs. Eliza C. Bleasdale will be held from her late residence in the town of Janesville Friday afternoon at 1 p. m., Rev. R. C. Denison officiating. Interment in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Joyce The funeral of Mrs. Mary Joyce will be held Thursday morning at 10 from St. Patrick's church.

Attention B. P. O. E. Special meeting this evening to hear the reports of the committees on club rooms. A full attendance is desired.

D. J. LINDSAY, Exalted Ruler. B. H. BALDWIN, Secretary.

Enjoyed Social Session: Members of the Fraternal Reserve Association enjoyed a social session following their regular meeting at the east side hall last evening. Mrs. Cora Robb and William Pratt won the first prizes at check and Mrs. Shuler and Patrick Crowley captured the consolation trophies. A class of thirty will be initiated at the next regular meeting of the order.

Miss Rose Connell attended a dance in Beloit Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bentley of Edgerton were Janesville visitors Monday.

A. S. Flagg of Edgerton was in the city Monday.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sweeney have departed for New Orleans where they will witness the Mardi Gras festival. Miss Margaret Jackman expects to depart on Friday for Ashland where she will resume her former position as a member of the high school faculty.

Glen Burdick transacted business in Watertown yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kelleher, 37 Riverside street, are rejoicing over the arrival last Sunday of an infant son.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith who were called here by the accident to their son Henry Smith who had his leg crushed near Milton last Sunday, have returned to their home in Milwaukee. They were guests at the home of August Richter while in the city.

Miss Agnes Shumway is recovering from a severe illness with tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bicknell of Minneapolis are visiting Mrs. E. E. Bullock at her home on South Main street.

G. A. Adair and wife are in Milwaukee.

H. E. Ranous is in Chicago.

E. E. Bullock is a Milwaukee visitor.

George E. King was in Chicago yesterday.

Geo. D. Simpson left today for New York.

Rev. P. H. Roth of the English Lutheran church of Beloit was the guest of Rev. W. P. Christy at the Twilight club meeting last evening.

Herbert Holme departed this morning for New York city where he will be the guest of his brother, with whom his mother from England is now visiting.

"Col." George Hall of Evansville was a pleasant caller at the Gazette office last evening. He has just returned from Indiana, where his health has been greatly benefited by a course of treatment.

Mrs. Mary Whiton is in Chicago, called thither by the illness of her daughter, Miss Amoret Whiton.

Mrs. M. A. Parnley and M. Sprague of Footville were in the city today.

E. M. Hubbell of Edgerton is transacting business here.

D. A. Holmes of Milton is in the city.

John McGraw of Sharon was in the city last night.

Joseph Zimmerman of Jefferson was a Janesville visitor last evening. William Lusk is visiting his mother in Edgerton.

Nicholas Pappas will go to Chicago this evening on business.

**CUT THIS OUT**

It Will Not Appear Again.

Formula of Wm. A. Hoburg, Ph. C., Instructor at New York School of Pharmacy. It can be filled at our store only. The correct quantity for each ingredient are on file here.

POWDER. Precipitated Chalk. Powd. Orris Root. Powd. Myrrh. Powd. Red Cinchona Bark. Powd. White Castile Soap. Oil Wintergreen. Price, 15 cents.

It is absolutely pure and harmless and beneficial to the gums. Those who are partial to a high grade article can have this formula filled with perfect confidence in its good virtue.

**McGUE & BUSS**

2 Stores. Both Sides of Town.

**NASH**

Corner Stone, the best Patent Flour on Earth, \$1.15.

3 Qts. Cranberries 25c.

Fresh Laid Eggs 28c doz.

6 lbs. Sweet Potatoes 25c.

Old Fashioned Hominy 3c lb.

Home Made Sausage 12 1/2c

Home Rendered Lard 14c.

Fine Fresh Caught Trout and Halibut Steak.

Skinned Perch.

Hickory Nuts 10c Qt.

Peanuts 12c lb.

150 Size Oranges 30c doz.

126 Size Oranges 35c doz.

Silver Cream Silver Polish.

6 Express Toilet Paper 25c.

Denoyer's Afton Buckwheat 35c.

Blodgett's Buckwheat 30c.

Dollar Package 3-lbs. Richelieu Coffee \$1.00.

Atlas Baking Powder 18c lb.

Richelieu Bulk Cocoa Nut 20c lb.

8 Lenox Soap 25c.

7 Santa Claus Soap 25c.

Huyler's Cocoa 25c.

Smoked Whitefish.

Finnan Haddie.

6 lbs. Santa Clara Prunes 25c

3 lbs. 50 to 60 Santa Clara Prunes 25c.

Walnut Hill Cream Cheese 18c lb.

Extra Fancy Baldwin Apples 30c pk.

2 lbs. Jersey Butterine 30c.

Swift's Premium High Grade Butterine 20c lb.

Square Deal Tobacco 25c lb.

Groceries and Meat.

**NASH**

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson of Edgerton were Janesville visitors last evening.

Charles Carr of Minneapolis is the guest of his parents on Milwaukee avenue.

Mrs. Sue McManus spent Monday in Edgerton.

**Did you ever try Casino Salmon?**

It's the best chinook variety of Columbia River fish, packed in the finest oil possible.

Not the cheapest but the best.

If you want the best order Casino.

**EACO FLOUR**

We carry all grades of flour at all prices and are always glad to sell any of it.

We are especially glad to sell a brand that we know is superior and that we are sure will be acknowledged as superior when once used.

The quality will be remembered and a good substantial lasting trade will result.

If you haven't tried it, be sure to do so when next in need of flour.

Price, \$1.35 sack.

**DEDRICK BROS.****Fine Eating LENTEN SEASON TRY.**

New Smoked Bloaters, 3 for 10c. Fresh Smoked Halibut, at 20c. Nice Pickled Herring, each 4c. Holland Herring, 2 for 10c. Hot Herring, big keg, 85c & 95c. Salt Herring, fat kind, 1 lb., 10c. Imported Oil Sardines, at 15c. Peacock Brand Salmon, at 15c. Pansy Brand Salmon, 12c & 20c. Codfish in Glass Jars, 15c. Colby Cream Cheese, mild, 15c. We shall have these come in small lots so as to keep them fresh and clean.

SAN MARTO COFFEE. Finest quality, at 25c lb. ROYAL TEA. Delicious flavor, at 50c lb. PURE GOLD HIGHEST GRADE FLOUR. At \$1.25 a sack; 65c half sacks. Lenox Oil 14c gallon—No smell or smoke.

**BAUMANN BROS.** CLEAN GROCERIES. 14 N. MAIN ST. New Phone 260 Old Phone 2601

**200 Lbs. Dairy Butter SPECIAL SALE**

on that famous **Dairy Butter TOMORROW**

**30c lb.**

New lot just received. Come early, it won't last long.

**NOLAN BROS.** 62 West Milwaukee St.

**LARGE 96 CALIFORNIA ORANGES 35c DOZ.**

**3 QUARTS CRANBERRIES 25c**

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**5 LBS. MO-JA COFFEE \$1**

**1 QT. BOTTLE MAPLE SYRUP 30c**

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**SMOKED HALIBUT 20c LB.**

**SMOKED BLOATERS, 2 FOR 5c**

**E. R. WINSLOW** 20 North Main St.

**F. H. GREEN & SON** 43 N. Main St. Both phones.

**Good Word for Truancy.**

A physician says he can cure truancy with the knife. Truancy of the body is only a small part of it. It is by truancy of the mind that a boy remains a boy and escapes being the prodigy of learning that education would make of him.—N. Y. Tribune.

**...THE... Merchants' & Mechanics' Savings Bank, TOTAL RESOURCES \$1,750,000**

Solicits your business in any department of legitimate banking.

Checking accounts. Savings accounts. Safe deposit vaults. Drafts and foreign exchange. Investments.

**3 Per Cent on Savings Deposits**

We also issue certificates of deposit drawing two per cent if left four months, three per cent for six months.

Start now to save for the "rainy day." One of our little home banks will help you.

We invite inspection of our new banking rooms. Special conveniences for ladies.

W. S. JEFFRIES, President, WM. BLADON, Vice-Pres. S. M. SMITH, Cashier.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Monday and Tuesday Evenings, Feb. 18 and 19.

**Mr. and Mrs. Miyamori** will present an interesting

Lecture Entertainment

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including songs and instrumental music.

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Raffles finest performance of season. Audience delighted here.

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NIGHT—Orchestra and two rows Circle, \$1.00; balance Circle, 75c; first two rows Balcony, 75c; remainder Balcony, 50c; Gallery, 25c. MATINEE—Orchestra and two rows Circle, 75c; balance Circle, 50c; Balcony 50c. Children, 25c. Seats on sale tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Carriages at 11 o'clock.

I will guarantee this performance to be strictly first-class and worthy of the best patronage.  
PETER L. MYERS.

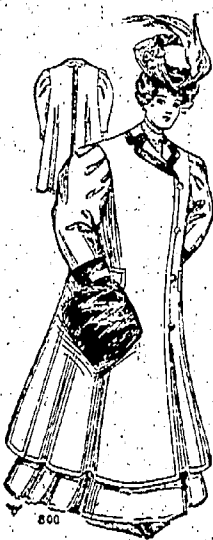
# J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

A GRAND CLEAN UP OF

## Ready-to-Wear Garments---Cloaks, Suits and Skirts

The cash in the till takes up less room than the garments on the racks. This is our excuse at this season of the year for the sweeping price reductions on READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS. It's a good logical excuse and when the lots offered fill your present needs, then is your opportunity to make your dollars do their full duty.

**Fur Coats for Women**--Our present stock consists of about 25 reliable fur coats as follows-- We mention the regular selling prices, at which we have held them all the season, but now we offer them at a reduction of 8 to 30 dollars.  
**Fine Neaseals** at \$35 to \$85; sizes 34 to 46. **Wool Seal Auto Coats** at \$65. One Beaver Coat, size 40, at \$125. One Otter Coat, size 36, at \$185. Surely a better opportunity was never presented to purchase a nice fur coat at such a small price.



**Cloth Cloaks**--We offer all of our best garments at 1/2 price. We have but a few black cloaks left, but emphasize particularly the beautiful light cloaks, many suitable for spring wear, in tans, mixtures, plaids, and checks. These desirable cloaks at 1/2 price merit the attention they are receiving.

**500 Suits, Black Mostly**--Never were better suits put on sale at \$5.00. Women are buying them eagerly and are thoroughly pleased. These suits are the same that only a few months ago were \$10 to \$18. The styles are good; simply a matter of getting fitted. Don't forget about these suits, for they are bargains worthy of the name, and will help out many a woman anxious to economize.

**Skirts at \$2.00**--We have about 15 left, that we are closing out to make room for spring arrivals; values up to \$12.00.

**Probably 90 Altogether**--We have two racks of winter cloaks, carried over from 1904 and 1905--cloaks for women, misses and children, and during our January sale we marked them at prices ranging from \$1 to \$10, which were low indeed for the grade of garments. However, to sell out every garment before spring, as we need the room badly, we offer them now at 1/2 of the marked down figures. Just think of buying 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, etc. well made cloaks at such prices as....

**95 Gray Wool Skirts**--A manufacturer had on hand a quantity of gray all wool cloths and we figured with him to make the lot up into skirts, which he did, and at a price which enables us to offer them, assorted styles and qualities, waist bands 22 to 36 inches, lengths 39 to 43 inches, at \$5.75. Any woman looking for a good sensible skirt for service should remember this lot at \$5.75. Alterations free.

Satisfied customers are the best advertisement a store can have. We have made many sales on ready-to-wear garments through satisfied customers who have told their neighbors about the bargains they got at THE BIG STORE.

# THE BIG SALE GOES ON

## Jewelry at Auction of the Highest Order ---A Novelty That Draws the Crowds.

There is about \$40,000.00 in this big stock of the old established firm of F. C. Cook & Co., which is offered to you at public sale without holding back a single item. We refer to Mr. Cook personally and any person buying an article here who does not feel that it is exactly as represented can find out by calling on Mr. Cook and securing his opinion. **Every article in this richly assorted stock is to be sold.** The crowds that have been in daily attendance have secured wonderful bargains and there are plenty yet for you all to buy from as freely as you desire.

**Watches, Clocks, Solid Silver, Plated Silver, Rings, Pins, Bracelets, Diamonds, Brooches, Cuff Buttons, Silver Pieces, Toilet Sets, Cut Glass, Umbrellas, Carving Sets, Etc., Etc.**

It has been intimated in some quarters that this stock is largely not that which was formerly F. C. Cook & Co's. We wish to say that every Watch, every Ring, every Diamond, every piece of gold and gold filled jewelry in our store is from the original stock of F. C. Cook & Co., a fact that can be ascertained easily by conversing with Mr. Cook. We guarantee to do just as we advertise and want you to know that this sale is not a catch penny, cheap, trashy affair.

Upon request, at any time during the sale any special article desired will be placed upon sale. All you need do is to ask for it.

**SPECIAL NOTICE TO LADIES**--Each day we shall offer articles of especial interest to the ladies and we particularly invite them to attend the afternoon sales. Come early and secure beautiful articles or rare gems at extremely low prices.

Sale opens Daily at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M., and will continue until goods are disposed of.



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